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IN RE APPLICATION OF: :  
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TITLE: NUCLEIC ACIDS AND PROTEINS :  
OF THE MYCOPLASMA  
HYOPNEUMONIA MHP3 GENE  
AND USES THEREOF

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 12 – 17 and claims 34 – 44.


In the specification, at page 1, line 1, please insert:

-- CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional. Application No.  
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Respectfully submitted,

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